

What are the functions of the State Advisory Panels?

Federal regulations define the responsibilities of the State Advisory Panels as follows:

1. Advise the state education agency (SEA) of unmet needs within the State in the education of children with disabilities.
2. Comment publicly on any rules or regulations proposed by the State regarding the education of children with disabilities.
3. Advise the SEA in developing evaluations and reporting on data to the Secretary under 618.
4. Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in federal monitoring reports.
5. Advise the SEA in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for children with disabilities.
6. Review and comment on completed due process hearing findings.

(CFR 300.169)